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Classified By: Ambassador Adam Ereli for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

- 1.(SBU) The High Criminal Court January 16 announced guilty verdicts against the five defendants charged with membership in a terrorist organiz
- 2.(C) An embassy contact XXXXXXXXXXXX(protect) confirmed the verdicts against the five.
- 3.(C) Chief Prosecutor Nawaf Al-Mouada told Poloff that both the prosecution and defense have two weeks in which to file an appeal. He explaine
- 4.(C) Comment: Ishaq, Jaffar, and Jassim were all arrested in early August 2007. With credit for time served, they could all be released withi